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TO AMEMBASSY SAN JOSE IMMEDIATE

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E.O. 11652: NA

TAGS: ETEL, CS

SUBJECT: COSTA RICA POSTAL DEBT

REF: A) STATE A-4093; B) SAN JOSE 3180

1. WE APPRECIATE EMBASSY'S EFFORTS REFTEL. USPS IS PRESS-
ING DEPARTMENT FOR PROMPT ACTION ON COSTA RICAN POSTAL DEBT
OF \$554,902.26 ESPECIALLY IN LIGHT OF PAN AM DIRECT
COLLECTION FROM THE COSTA RICAN POSTAL ADMINISTRATION OF
\$1,133,438.66 (REPAIR).

2. THE ISSUE OF DEBT ARREARAGES IS DRAWING INCREASED
PUBLIC AND CONGRESSIONAL ATTENTION. GAO, AN ARM OF THE
CONGRESS, IS IN PROCESS OF PREPARING REPORT TO CONGRESS ON
DEBT ARREARAGES. DIFFICULT FOR DEPARTMENT TO EXPLAIN TO
CONGRESS AND USPS INACTION ON COSTA RICAN POSTAL DEBT
ESPECIALLY IN LIGHT OF GOCR PAYMENTS TO PAN AM.

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3. DEPARTMENT REQUESTS EMBASSY TO CHECK WITH FOREIGN

MINISTRY ON STATUS OF GOCR ASSURANCES REFTEL THAT ACTION
WOULD BE TAKEN.

4. STATUS REPORT WOULD BE APPRECIATED BY OPENING BUSINESS

DAY THURSDAY SEPTEMBER 30, IN VIEW OF DEPARTMENT MEETING
WITH GAO TO REVIEW THEIR REPORT TO CONGRESS. KISSINGER

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